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Sir:

In response to the United States Patent & Trademark Office request to file a Rule 63 Declaration, attached is a copy of the signed Declaration as submitted in the grandparent Application Serial No. 09/226,174 filed January 7, 1999 and the parent Application Serial No. 09/472,069. The required fee for filing the Declaration is submitted herewith.

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:
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- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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